

I believe that it is important to put some teeth into the sub-band allocations. Unfortunately there are a few bad apples in the ham community that will disturb the enjoyment of others if they disagree with the method of operation of those others. It is widely known that a few hams vehemently dislike the CW method of operation.

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Without some strong method of control these few individuals are free to harass all of those that operate CW. They have done so in the past and, if left to their own devices, will do so in the future. Consequently, it is important to provide a segment of each band where such harassment is punishable by strong action. The only method I know of to control such individuals is via the sub-bands allocated by the FCC. Voluntary allocations of the ARRL are simply not strong enough. Consequently, I encourage you to draw a line to protect CW operators from such harassment.